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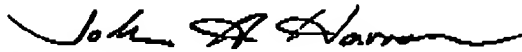
For: DISCREPANCY CORRECTION METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
CORRECTING DIFFERENCE IN LEVELS OF IMAGE SIGNALS OBTAINED BY  
AN IMAGE SENSOR HAVING A MULTIPLE OUTPUT CHANNELS**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION**Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir,

I hereby certify that the attached Amendment is being transmitted on the date shown below to Examiner Thompson of Group No. 2624 to the facsimile number provided for all patent application related correspondence (703-872-9306). The facsimile consists of 36 pages (including this certificate of facsimile cover sheet- 1 page). The following are attached:

1. Amendment (33 pages); and
2. Amendment Fee Transmittal (2 pages).

Respectfully submitted,



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**AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required.
- ☒ The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments	Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims*	88- 20 =	86	2	\$50.00/ \$25.00	\$ 100.00
Independent Claims	9- 3 =	9	0	\$200.00/ \$100.00	\$
Multiple Dependent Claims	(If claims added by amendment include Multiple Dependent Claim(s) and there was no Multiple Dependent Claim(s) in application before amendment add \$360.00 to additional fee (\$150.00 for small entity).				\$
TOTAL					\$ 100.00

\*Includes all independent and single dependent claims and all claims referred to in multiple dependent claims. See 37 C.F.R. §1.75(c).

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- ☐ Small entity status is or has been claimed.  
Reduced Fees Under 37 C.F.R. §1.9(f) paid herewith \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ \_\_\_\_\_ Pages Sequence Listing
- ☐ \_\_\_\_\_ Computer disk(s) containing substitute Sequence Listing
- ☐ Statement under 37 C.F.R. §1.825(b) that the computer and paper copies of the substitute Sequence Listing are the same.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the filing fee is attached.
- ☒ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 1232-4676. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for filing this amendment, including all fees pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17 for its timely consideration, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 1232-4676.

Respectfully submitted,  
MORGAN & FINNEGAN, L.L.P.

Dated: 12/9/2004

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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action dated September 9, 2004, Applicant  
respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 24 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 25 of this paper.